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In re Patent Application of:  
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For: PIXEL SIGNAL PROCESSING APPARATUS  
AND PIXEL SIGNAL PROCESSING  
METHOD

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Examiner: Tejano, Dwight Alex C.

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Madam:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated December 26, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.